the payment of the expenses of such publication and advertising.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take In force effect from the date of its passage.

Approved, 13th February, 1874.

## CHAPTER 33.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the Potomac Fire Insurance Company of Baltimore," passed at January session, eighteen-hundred and sixty-seven, chapter four hundred and twenty-four: and to amend an act entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Potomac Fire Insurance Company of Baltimore, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, chapter four hundred and twenty-four," passed at the January session eighteen-hundred and seventy-two, chapter two hundred and thirty-five.

WHEREAS, The Potomac Fire Insurance Company Preamble of Baltimore has now outstanding, and in the hands of its stockholders, twenty-five thousand and fifteen shares of its stock, of the par value of five dollars per share, upon each of which said shares of stock, the sum of four dollars only has been paid in; and

WHEREAS, The President and Directors of said Preamble company believe it would benefit said corporation to make its whole stock, so outstanding in the hands of its stockholders, full paid, by reducing the number of shares so outstanding sufficiently to make the residue full paid stock, therefore

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the President and Directors of said call in and can-Company be and they are hereby authorized and cel stock